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In re application of:

Kevin S. Bodner et al.

Application No.: *Unassigned*

Filed: October 12, 2001

For: REPUNCTURABLE SELF
SEALING SAMPLE CONTAINER
WITH INTERNAL COLLAPSIBLE BAG

Examiner: *Unassigned*

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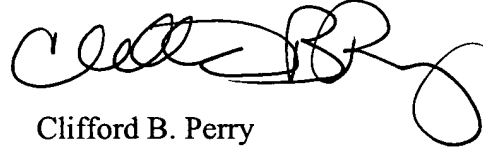
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Respectfully submitted,

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